GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1744
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UNLICENSED COOLIES AT KERALA RAILWAY STATIONS
A.K. PREMAJAM

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of Railway stations in Kerala where unlicensed coolies are being engaged by contractors instead of licensed porters for loading and unloading parcels;

(b) whether the Government have decided to discontinue the contract system in loading and unloading of parcels;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether this decision has been implemented in all the stations;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) if not, the time by which the said decision is likely to be implemented in all the railway stations in Kerala ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) There are no such stations in Kerala.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) to (f): Do not arise.